

New Magazine Section Coming Next Week!

Family Weekly is coming to this newspaper Saturday, Sept. 9.

Family Weekly is a rotogravure news magazine that aims to live up to its name by providing stories, pictures and features of interest to every member of the family.

Starting Sept. 9 and continuing each Saturday,

Family Weekly will be a regular part of The News-Palladium and The Herald-Press.

Family Weekly currently is distributed nationally to 274 daily newspapers reaching 9.5 million readers. The News-Palladium and The Herald-Press are the first to circulate it in south-

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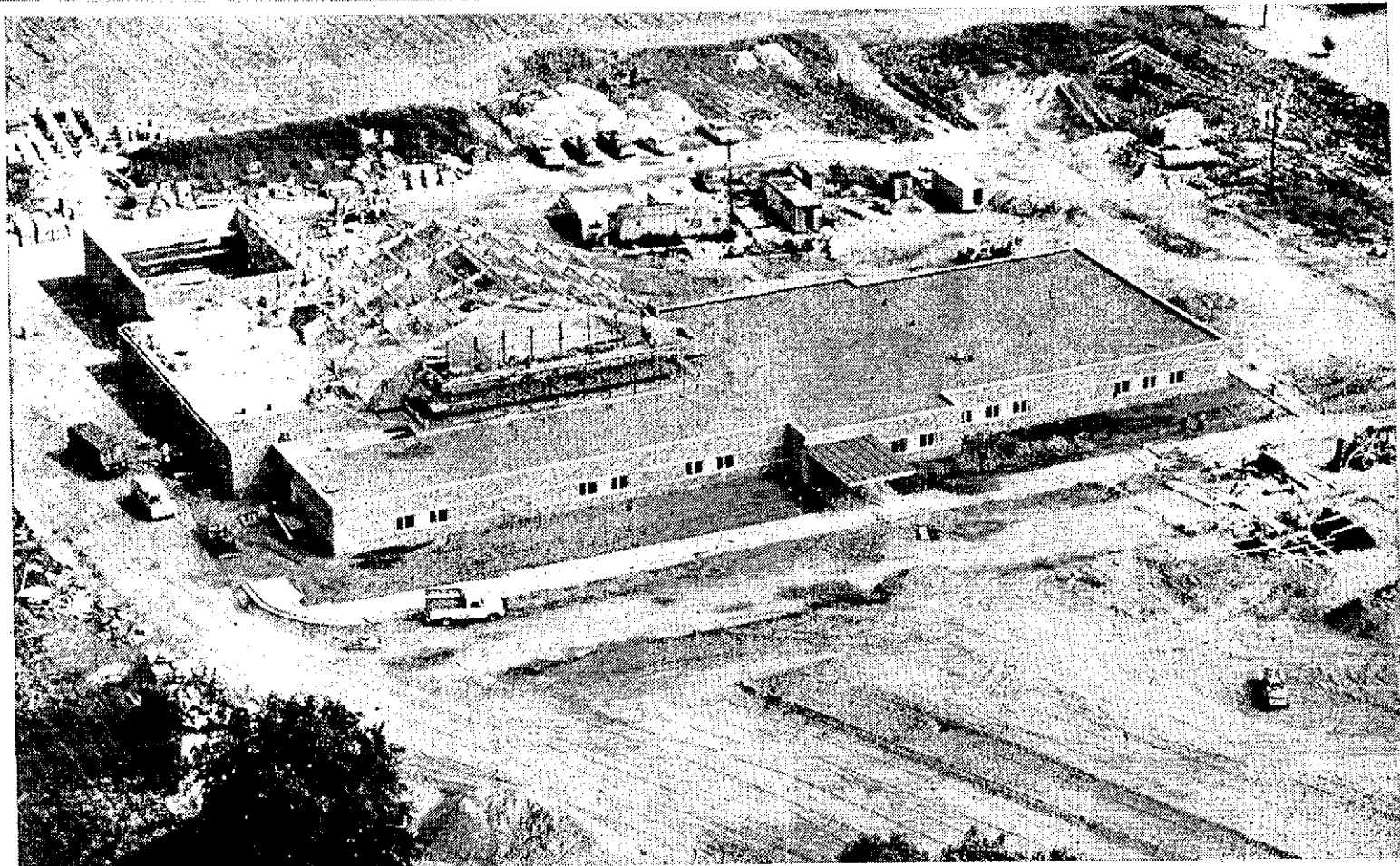
Inside the cover of Family Weekly is a regular feature, "Ask Them Yourself" in which readers quiz celebrities — politicians, entertainers, sports stars, business tycoons, authors.

Other regular features are "Quips & Quotes,"

bits of American humor; and "Through A Child's Eyes," the adventures and questions of kids.

Every edition of Family Weekly contains articles by famous writers on a wide range of subjects.

Watch for this tabloid Saturday, Sept. 9, in The News-Palladium and The Herald-Press.



TO OPEN TUESDAY: With the main classroom section of the new Michigan Lutheran high school completed, Berrien county's newest high school will open its doors for students on Tuesday. Still to be completed are the

gymnasium-auditorium (high-peaked roof) and locker rooms and the band and music room (upper left hand corner). Beginning its third year of operation, the school will have approximately 90 students in grades 9

through 11. The new high school located in Royalton township, faces Marquette Woods road, with Beechnut drive shown in the far upper right hand corner. (Aerial photo by Adolph Hann)

North Viets To Release 3 Americans

U. S. Anti-War Group Will Act As Intermediary In Transfer

SAIGON (AP)—North Vietnam announced today it is freeing three captured American pilots and said it would have freed more if the United States had given a positive response to Communist terms for peace in Vietnam.

In Paris, two U.S. antiwar activists said they personally would escort the prisoners home from Southeast Asia "in a matter of weeks."

The North Vietnamese, who last released American prisoners more than three years ago, did not specify when or where they would release the three airmen. It did say they would be turned over to an American antiwar group.

The two Americans in Paris are David Dellinger, a Chicago lawyer, and Cora Weiss of New York, cochairmen of the Committee of Liaison with Families of U.S. Servicemen held in North Vietnam.

Dellinger told newsmen in Paris that the release of the three men "could be delayed by the danger of floods in North Vietnam" which he claimed could be the result of the bombing of dikes.

"So if the Nixon administration wants to find one sure way of delaying the release of these three prisoners, it will be the continued bombing of the dikes," Dellinger said.

The United States has denied that North Vietnam's dikes are listed as targets for pilots.

Dellinger and Mrs. Weiss said the men are to be turned over directly to their families without "interference" by the U.S. government. Mrs. Weiss said that U.S. government interference with nine servicemen previously released had caused a "complete suspension of releases" by the North Vietnamese up to now.

Mrs. Weiss and Dellinger had met with the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong delegations at the Paris peace talks before Hanoi's broadcast announcing the release of the three men.

The announcement came on the 27th anniversary of the founding of North Vietnam, and said the release was ordered under the "humane and lenient policy of the government."

The announcement said the pilots had applied for amnesty. Hanoi's official Vietnam News Agency said the prisoners, Markham Ligon Gartley and Norris Alphonso Charles, both Navy lieutenants junior grade, and Edward Knight Elias, an Air Force major, would be turned over to a U.S. antiwar group. It did not say precisely when or where the release would be made.

An aide to Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., said in Washington (See back page, sec. 1, col. 1).

Packed Montreal Cafe Firebombed

Nightclub Inferno Kills 42

MONTREAL (AP) — Forty-two persons perished and more than 60 were injured Friday night after a man dropped a fire bomb in the stairway of a packed downtown night club, turning it into an inferno, police reported.

They said four men were being held for questioning in connection with the blaze at the Blue Bird Cafe.

Area hospitals described a dozen of the injured as in critical condition.

Lt. Guy Paquette of the Montreal police emergency squad said: "We have three witnesses who say they saw three men drive up in a gray car. One of them jumped out and threw something into the building."

One witness said the three men who tossed the bomb had been thrown out of the club earlier, but there was no official confirmation.

A cocktail lounge occupied the first floor, but most of the patrons were in the second floor dance club, which was frequented by seamen and specialized in country and western music. Initial reports said there were between 250 and 400 persons in the club when the fire started.

Sami Dugay, one of the patrons, said he was standing talking to the Blue Bird doorman when "a big column of black smoke and flames shot up the stairway."

George Lancia, another patron, said "everyone began to panic. There was lots of pitch black smoke, then a lot of heat

and then a lot of yellow light ... We knew it was a fire and everyone began to panic."

"There were so many people on the fire escape that the railing broke. People were falling from the sky almost. I tried to help people come out of the front windows, but they just panicked and were falling out," he said.

A 20-year-old woman patron said the fire quickly went through the building.

"A doorman grabbed me, took me through the kitchen, and I jumped out a window at the back."

"People were screaming, falling, being stepped on. By the time I got out the whole building was burning and there were still people inside."



CAFE BOMBED: Montreal firemen watch as patrons of the Blue Bird Cafe are helped out of second story window down a ladder. Police and fire officials were still removing bodies from the cafe early today. (CP Wirephoto)



INJURED PATRON: Firemen help carry an injured patron down the fire escape of the Blue Bird Cafe in downtown Montreal Friday night. At least 42 people were killed and 60 injured when a bomb exploded in the building. (CP Wirephoto)

Abortion Issue Appears Headed For Nov. 7 Vote

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — The Michigan Supreme Court has made a ruling which will put the controversial abortion issue on the November ballot, informed sources reported Friday.

First published by the Detroit News, which quoted Supreme Court Justice Eugene F. Black, the revelation concerned a 5-2 high court vote Wednesday to deny an appeal by anti-abortion forces challenging the constitutionality of the move to put the issue on the ballot.

Black said official information of the vote was delayed to permit the justices to issue statements explaining their votes.

Reportedly, Chief Justice Thomas M. Kavanagh and Justice G. Mennen Williams dissented from the majority opinion.

Black said he would have preferred a hearing on the anti-abortion appeal — which, he said, he would have voted against — but a majority did

not want the hearing. The anti-abortion drive was to counter a massive petition effort on the part of pro-abortion forces to put the question on the ballot for a vote.

The Supreme Court's action thus clears the path for the issue to appear on the ballot in November.

The State Board of Canvassers have already approved two tax reform questions and a

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Notice

This newspaper will not publish Monday, Sept. 4, Labor Day.

Sat. nite—Cornish hen, wild rice stuffing, \$3.25. Sunday—Golden fried Chicken, \$2.95. Flagship Restaurant. Adv.

Golf at Paw Paw Lk. G.C. Adv.

Ritter's Restaurant closed Sun. & Mon., Sept. 3 & 4 Adv.

THE HERALD-PRESS

Editorial Page

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Court Fans Detroit And Pontiac Stadium Proposals

Opinions and tempers vary sharply in the Motor City area over the Michigan Supreme Court decision which stalls construction of a new home to house the Detroit Tigers.

The opinion also unhorses Pontiac's plot to bring the Lions football team into Pontiac because its financing method is identical to the Detroit plan which the Court found objectionable.

Although the cost differs sharply, some \$40 million for the Pontiac football field and \$371 million for the Detroit riverfront project, the programming is the same. Should the rentals paid by the Lions and the Tigers, plus that from whatever other attractions could be held in the two arenas, fail to meet the bonding issues' requirements, the taxpayers in Oakland and Wayne would have to make up the difference.

Earlier in the year Circuit Judge Blair Moody, Jr., ruled against the Detroit proposal on a finding that the Tigers would pay about one-quarter of the financing charge for using the stadium half of the year.

This, said Moody, is an illegal subsidy of a private enterprise by the public.

The Lansing tribunal accepted a different appeal from Moody's ruling.

It upheld this reasoning by a 6-1 vote and tied another hunk of concrete of its own to the idea. Writing for the majority, Justice G. Mennen (Soapy) Williams found the Stadium Authority deceived the ultimate underwriters, that is, the taxpayers. The Authority in printing its legal notices for the vote seeking approval of the plan failed to inform the public of this possibility even as it had assured all the moneylenders that this security for their loans existed.

Recognizing that Detroit itself badly needs a facelifting and that a new downtown athletic complex could help in that respect, the majority opinion threw out some hints of how to square the corners rather than cut across lots.

It listed three options: a better deal from the Tigers; a referendum fully outlining the financial details of the first plan or any amendments to it; or some rescue legislation from Lansing.

Pontiac's boosters already have indicated they may take the second choice on October 2d when another local issue comes up in a special election; and the Stadium Authority directors are mulling the chances of copying their suburban rivals at the November 7th general election.

The deception so strongly hammered away at by Williams is one in law, though scarcely what a layman would describe as one in fact.

Certainly if the Wayne and Oakland county residents even glanced at The Free Press and The Detroit News they would know that John Fetzer's Tigers and William Clay Ford's Lions were getting a terrific break on their respective leases; and further that they, as local taxpayers, would in all likelihood have to come

forward to meet the difference between gate receipts and the bondholders' requirements.

By wording its opinion so strongly, the majority in effect is intruding a sociological viewpoint cloaked in legal terms on two highly controversial discussion-pieces today.

One is the search for something which can perk up America's decaying inner cities. Although this is a people problem which means it is a long range, tortuous type of thing to correct, the tendency is to try a short term, physical solution: a downtown mall, a convention center, a sports arena, parks, and so on.

Another is how to fill the leisure time gap which grows apace with the expanding productivity level. Professional spectator sports may not be intellectually stimulating but they do soak up some of that leisure time span.

The customers, however, are rebelling against stadia of a World War I vintage stuck in dangerous neighborhoods. Yet the day is gone when a Briggs can personally replace his original stadium with today's high construction cost counterpart. The public subsidy is used widely to bring supplier and customer together.

Some years ago when city hall's fill was better feathered than it is today, Detroit took the subsidy route in building Cobo Hall. While no legal problems were at issue, everyone understood a major purpose of the facility was to absorb much of the cost in bringing a professional basketball team to town, and keeping it there.

Between lines the Court's majority opinion almost seems to say there is a difference in degree between the Pistons' venture and that of the Lions and the Tigers.

The cost and upkeep of a basketball court is infinitely less than that of a baseball diamond or a football field. So are the audience capacity and the chances for the contrasting owners to make a buck.

Substantially, the decision finds the majority saying the following without using the words:

A riverfront stadium for Detroit would be better than nothing inasmuch as it is the only idea advanced so far to fill a vacuum.

But unlike the Pistons whose performance exerts a minimal economic effect community wide, even if the Tigers regain championship form, Fetzer benefits from the gate and the public still pays the piper for an experiment in community betterment.

Risky as it is to guess what a court or jury will do, we'd bet that if Bill Ford came back into the original scheme of putting up a combination football and baseball palace, the judges would o.k. it as a good deal for all concerned.

Ready To Serve



GLANCING BACKWARDS

MOTORISTS CAUTIONED

—1 Year Ago—

Motorists passing through the Lakeshore school district on their way to and from work are asked to take alternate routes and avoid areas of congestion expected to develop when the district's schools open Tuesday -- minus their buses.

School administrators together with area police are requesting the unusual measure in anticipation of more private cars delivering students in place of school buses, eliminated by the school board as a budgetary measure. Of special concern are the increased numbers of students traveling the roads by foot and

bicycle.

PARKING LOT IS COMPLETED

—10 Years Ago—

The new Port street municipal parking lot officially opened Friday and with it came a change in the traffic pattern on Main and Ship streets.

The parking lot, which for many years housed the old Riverview Hotel, cost an estimated \$46,000 according to St. Joseph City Manager Leland Hill. The new parking lot is located on the corner of Main and Port streets and features 39 parking spaces.

BUTTER UPPEID

TWELVE POINTS

—29 Years Ago—

The Office of Price

Administration boosted the ration points for creamery butter from 10 to 12 points a pound today but simultaneously cut ration values of 35 cuts of fresh meat one or two points.

Overhauling other ration point values to meet changing conditions, OPA also increased the blue-stamp ration value of four types of canned fruit and nine canned and processed foods and lowered the value of eight others.

ONLY CITY

—39 Years Ago—

St. Joseph, the only city in the state of Michigan which has celebrated Labor Day for more than 50 years, will offer a banner program for its many holiday visitors. Boat races, band concerts, doll parades and fireworks are on the bill. A two-day program has been arranged by John G. Cox, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and the Labor Day committee, headed by W. F. Murphy.

RETURN HOME

—49 Years Ago—

The Fred LaMunions and daughter of 904 Wisconsin avenue have returned from a three weeks camping trip to northern Michigan.

BIG DAY IN TOWN

—59 Years Ago—

With summer deciding to stick around a little longer and a Fourth of July temperature helping things along, Labor Day was a big day in this city. Fully 12,000 people from Chicago and Indiana towns and all parts of the country spent the day here. The Round Oak band from Dowagiac with the St. Joseph City band gave two concerts and at noon both joined in a concert.

TO OPEN STORE

—81 Years Ago—

Gus Church intends to return from Chicago and run a stationery and fancy goods store in the Parker building next to Holland's drug store. The room is being papered and fitted up in good shape.

Ray Cromley



Shriver Peace

Signal Not Clear

WASHINGTON (NEA) — My own personal experience is that when Asian Communist leaders want to signal something there is no doubt in anyone's mind about what they want to signal.

In months spent negotiating with some of the top men in Communist China as a U.S. Army officer in World War II, I came across this bluntness time and again. Officers in another branch of our military operation reported identical experiences in dealing with the late Ho Chi Minh. I found the principle true in talks with leading Japanese Communists.

Other friends have spent considerable time in negotiations with Communists in Laos and Thailand and with Ho's North Vietnamese associates. Their conclusions are the same. When a Communist negotiator wants you to know what he is driving at, he makes certain you get it.

All this makes it difficult to understand what Sargent Shriver and Averell Harriman mean when they say the Nixon administration ignored a Hanoi peace signal in 1968 and 1969.

The Communists may or may not use official channels. They may go over the heads of or around the men they're negotiating with. They may attempt messages through unorthodox channels. But with all this, they are very clear when they want to be.

They may speak in allegories. But if you don't understand what they mean, they say it again and again and again in different ways until you can't help but know what they're saying. If you still don't see their point, they will, in

disgust, tell you directly in language no horse trader could fail to understand.

This is not to say Communist officials are not obtuse much of the time. If they want to stall, if they're playing for time, or if they want to soften you up in order to get you to give in, they will go on in endless rambling or find ways to insult you time and again, or make you look ridiculous.

In late 1968 Hanoi moved sizable numbers of troops back into Laos and Cambodia. The judgment was their armies needed regrouping, rest and refitting after heavy losses during their offensives that year. The North Vietnamese had been moving men in and out for years, depending on the campaign and on the season of the year.

Analytical men would look, nevertheless, to see if this large troop movement was indeed a signal. Officials at State and the Defense Department officials in Thailand, Laos, South Vietnam and in Paris and Washington looked into this question hopefully.

This reporter, covering the operation at the time, was told of the studies going on. The conclusion by the men this writer interviewed, some of whom were friends of Harriman, was that this shifting of North Vietnamese was not a peace signal.

Based on past experience, this reporter is certain that if the troop movements had been a peace signal, the North Vietnamese negotiators would not have been coy. They would have, at first, waited for a U.S. reaction.

Jeffrey Hart



George Reveals

New Creation

When George McGovern's first set of economic proposals crashed in flames, the nominee bailed out and hurried back to the drawing board with his economic advisers to design another model. The other day, in a speech before an audience of Wall Street securities analysts, he revealed the new creation.

Startlingly enough, the new model is completely different from the old one—it rests upon different premises altogether, and resembles the old model in virtually no important features.

The old model depended on raising taxes drastically in the over-\$12,000 categories. The new one, in contrast, promises to raise money by taxing capital gains as if they were ordinary income. This proposal, of course, represents a 180-degree reversal of course since last May, when McGovern took a full-page ad in the Wall Street Journal to deny, among other things, that he was contemplating a change in the tax rules for capital gains.

So drastically does the new

model differ from the old one, in fact, that questions are bound to arise about the intellectual coherence of Sen. McGovern's approach to policy-making. Still, here's the latest contraption. But will it fly?

Do the proposed sources of revenue cover McGovern's proposed expenditures? Here, as in the old model — amazingly enough — McGovern appears to flunk the back-of-the-envelope test.

McGovern says he can raise some \$22 billion by closing tax loopholes, principally the capital gains preferences mentioned above. He also proposed to cut military spending by \$30 billion-plus to produce a total of \$54 billion in new revenues. Setting aside the serious question of whether any such amount could thus be raised, let us proceed with McGovern's own figures.

He says that individual income taxes on salaries and wages would not go up by "one penny." He then proposes to spend \$39 billion on job creation, welfare reform and properly tax relief, leaving him with \$15 billion in "change" from the \$54 billion.

But what about the other new programs McGovern is supporting? The new model says nothing about the health insurance plan proposed by Sen. Kennedy and supported by McGovern. This alone would require \$57 billion in new revenue. And what about the rest of the McGovern-supported proposals: veterans' benefits, revenue sharing, guarantees for small businesses against bankruptcy, 100 per cent farm parities, school spending increases and so on? Is McGovern dropping his support for all of these, or does he propose to finance them by deficit spending? The weird suspicion begins to arise that neither McGovern nor his Harvard-MIT economists can, in fact, add.

MIDEAST TALKS

GENEVA (AP) — Gunnar Jarring, the U.N. Middle East peace envoy, met for 90 minutes Friday with Foreign Minister Mourad Ghalib of Egypt.

Compacted Knowledge

Microfilming of business records, libraries and other stored material, in the interest of faster recall and less storage space, has been an expanding business for a number of years; but its greatest potential may be in the future.

Everyone needs information of some kind, whether on the job, maintaining the home or working at a hobby. Suppose that information were readily available, on microfilm, from portable devices with near instant recall. People are working on it.

Micropublishing, as microfilming is now called, is a rapidly growing industry. It is no longer the routine archival tool it once was. Banks now film checks at 600 a

minute, multitudinous plans for complicated architectural or engineering feats can be put on film no larger than a deck of cards.

Some housewives have their recipe files on film. The time may not be far off when the do-it-yourself man about the house can stop bluffing and do the job the way it should be done. Master plans will be on a cassette in his pocket.

Taxing Inflation

Inflation robs the productive worker in many unseen ways. Robert Stanfield, leader of Canada's Progressive Conservative Party, has figured that governments profit by inflation through increased tax revenues and he has offered a remedy.

Taxable income should be based on real wealth, not inflated wealth, Stanfield recommends. For instance, if 1970 is the base year of such a plan, then the currency is worth 100 percent of its stated value for that year.

If inflation takes a 5 percent bite in 1971, taxable income for that year would be only 95 percent of the worker's actual income. This would prevent governments from taxing inflation, but would provide incentive to governments to contain inflation.

Canada, like the United States, is suffering from expanding bureaucracy and bloated budgets. The Stanfield proposal will not be popular with entrenched bureaucracy, but it ought to receive accolades from the man who pays the bills.

EDITOR'S MAILBAG

SYLVESTER LANGLEY DIED A CHRISTIAN

Editor,
I would like to rectify what I think was an injustice to the memory of Sylvester "Windy" Langley in your article announcing his death.

While Mr. Langley may have made mistakes in his lifetime, as we all have, he was a man of good will, and a professed Christian at the time of his death.

I am in a position to know because I myself baptized him in the Christian faith. I visited with Mr. Langley the day before he died and prayed with him. He was steadfast and courageous in his faith. In his own words he wasn't "worried anymore because I have faith in God."

I firmly believe the Lord will judge him kindly, whatever anyone here may say.

The Rev. Chester Gulley
Assistant Pastor
Hopewell Baptist church
765 Highland
Benton Harbor.

POLICEMAN CRITICIZES LANGLEY OBITUARY

Editor,
Once again, in the case of the late Mr. Bob Russell, I think this newspaper has given itself a black eye by printing the type of obituary about Mr. Sylvester "Windy" Langley that it has.

I think there is an old saying that goes something like "if you can't say anything good about a person after their death then don't say anything at all."

In my position I can say that I knew Mr. Langley on a somewhat personal basis and certainly on a business as I have engineered at least one raid on Mr. Langley's establishments and was there on raids that took place.

When you bring out the point that Mr. Langley was a gambler you could never be any more right for as long as I knew Mr. Langley, which was quite a few years, he did in fact gamble, and was arrested any time we were fast enough to catch him.

But let me enlighten you to some of the good things about Sylvester Windy Langley. In all

the time I knew him, I never knew of him to rob any one. I never knew of him to break into anyone's house. I never knew of him to rape anyone's wife. I never knew of him to steal anything from anyone. And I don't ever remember hearing him say anything about anyone that was bad.

All these things that I never knew of Windy Langley doing, is being done by some of our so called citizens each and every day and are being turned loose on the good citizens of Benton Harbor to do the same thing over through some Supreme Court Decision.

If a person wanted to lose their money gambling, then I suppose Windy's place would have been the place to go, but no one can really call that being robbed if they have little enough sense to gamble. And I can tell you this for a fact that there were many times that Windy kept a fire going in his hole in the wall in the flats during the day just so the people that didn't have a place to stay warm could. Some of the older black people that are still around can remember that. They can probably also remember that as a last resort they could always count on getting a couple of bucks from Windy to keep from going hungry.

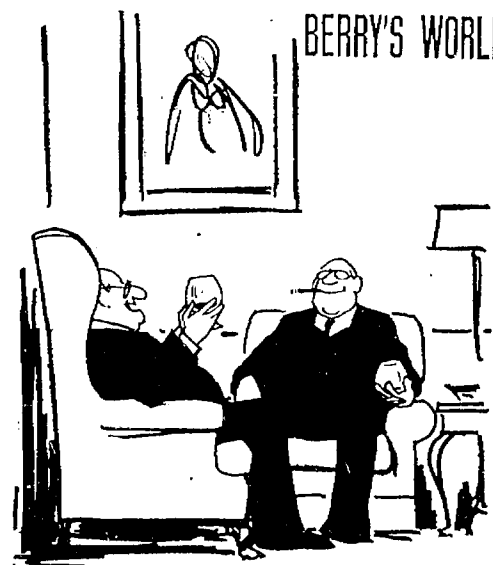
I believe I can honestly say that if all the citizens in Benton Harbor care as much for their fellow man as Sylvester Windy Langley did, our city would be a lot more crime free than it is

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154 Arrested In Chile Riots

SANTIAGO, Chile (AP) — Police said 154 persons were arrested in Santiago Friday night in continuing clashes over the policies of President Salvador Allende's leftist government.

Another 40 were reported hurt in the fights between youths who took to the streets to protest against the government and Marxists youths who confronted them.



"The little woman and I have booked passage to Australia for November 8th, just in case we don't like the outcome of the election!"

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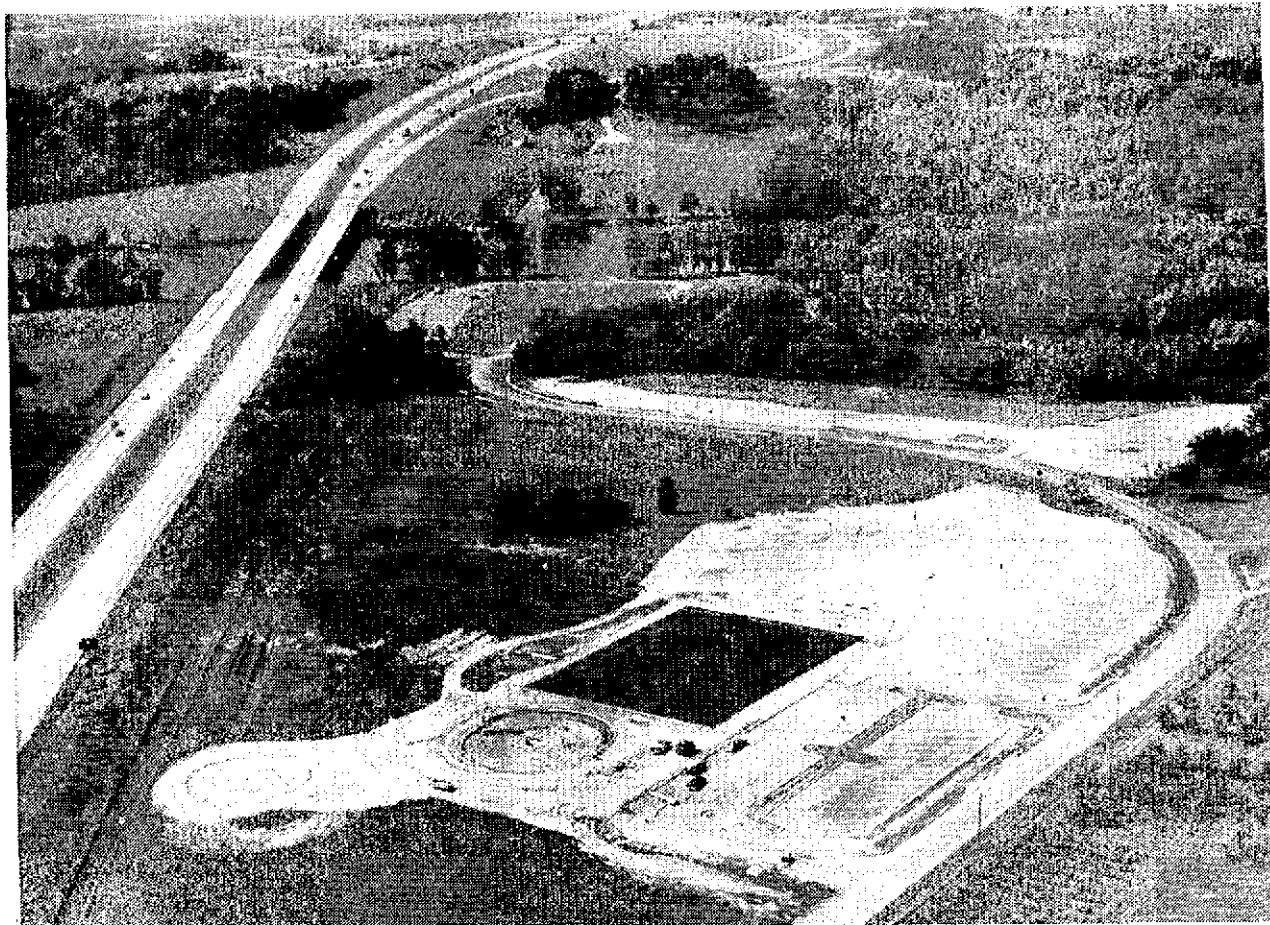
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BENTON PARK PROGRESSING: Development of Benton township river park is progressing as shown in aerial photograph by Adolph Hann. The park on Zollar drive is bordered by St. Joseph river and I-94. Russ Gailhouse, township parks superintendent, said development is in three stages. Phase I, consisting of a boat landing, picnic tables and parking lot by river is 90 per cent complete. Phase II will consist of a 24 by 40-foot pavilion and blacktopped area in foreground which will in-

clude tennis, basketball, volleyball and shuffleboard courts; plus circular areas for children's playground equipment. Phase III will be combination lighted baseball-softball field. Phase II is expected to be completed by Oct. 15 and Phase III construction will start next spring. Total cost is about \$212,000 with funds obtained through state recreation development program.

Month Of Silver At WHFB Radio

*First Local Station
Marks 25 Years
On The Air*



J.P. (JAKE) SCHERER
His Anniversary, Too

September, traditionally framed in autumn's gold and bronze, is the month of silver for WHFB radio.

For 25 years, since the initial broadcast from the Whitcomb Hotel Sept. 22, 1947, WHFB has been serving the southwest Michigan community. WHFB was the twin cities' first radio station.

To mark this anniversary, a special month of programming will be presented. "Thanks for the Memories" is a vast collection of original radio shows with names and voices that will fill the air of southwestern Michigan with nostalgia.

General Manager J. P. (Jake) Scherer explained the reason for this effort by saying, "During the 25 years of our existence, our listening audience has been numerous and loyal. This is our method of expressing our appreciation." Scherer has been WHFB station manager since the station first went on the air.

The first of what will be 50 program hours will be initiated Monday, Sept. 4 at 8 a.m. These pieces of the past will star over 100 of the greatest comedy names in radio history.

Some of the stars to be heard include:

—Jack Benny with Mary Livingston, Phil Harris, Dennis Day, Rochester, Mr. Kitzell, Don Wilson, Mel Blanc, Mabel and Gertrude, the sportswomen and The Maxwell.

—Bob Hope with Skinny Ennis, Brenda and Cabina and Jerry Colona.

—The Great Gildersleeve with Marjorie, Leroy, Berdie, Floyd The Barber, Horace the Judge and Mr. Peewee.

—Amos 'N' Andy with Lightning, Henry Van Porter, Brother Crawford, Miss Blue, Sapphire, Madam Queen and The Kingfish.

—The Red Skelton Show with Dead-End, Clem Kaddidhopper and Junior, the mean little kid.

—Fibber McGee and Molly with Doc Gamble, Wallace Wimple, Mayor Latrivia, Teenie and The Hall closet.

—George Burns and Gracie Allen with Paul Whiteman and Herman the Duck.

—Fred Allen with Portland Hoffa and the Allen's Alley Gang, Tiltus Moody, Ajax Cassidy, Mrs. Nussbaum, and Senator Claghorn.

—The Bing Crosby Show.

—Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy with Mortimer Snerd.

—The Henry Morgan Show with Arnold Stang.

—Phil Harris and Alice Faye with Frank Remley and Julius, the Smart Alec Kid.

—Abbott and Costello, including their classic "Who's on First?"

—Baby Snooks with Fanny Brice.

—Duffy's Tavern with Archie the bartender, Miss Duffy and Finnegan.

A host of other alltime greats will include Jimmy Durante, Eddie Cantor, Al Pearce, Joe Penner, Kaltenmeyer's Kindergarten, Cass Daley, Life Of Riley with William Bendix, Vic and Sade, Henry Aldrich, Lum and Abner, Ed Wynn, Myrt and Marge, Ma Perkins and Major Bowes.

The 25th anniversary of Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy and the 10,000 Amos And Andy show will be heard during the

month.

For mystery fans, six continuous hours of suspense stories have been scheduled for Sept. 9 from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The programs are scheduled throughout the day, Monday through Friday, at the following times: 6:30-6:30 a.m., 6:30-7:00 a.m., 9:00-10:00 a.m., 1:05-1:30 p.m., 2:05-2:30 p.m., 3:05-3:30 p.m., and 6:05-7:00 p.m.

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\$500 Reward Fund Put Up By Landlords

United Landlords of Benton Harbor have collected \$500 as the start of a reward fund for information leading to arrest and conviction of criminals.

"This fund is an effort to show that we are backing the city and police department in the fight against crime," a landlords' statement said.

Administration of the fund and formula for payment will be worked out in a conference with city officials.

The statement said types of crimes to be covered by the fund are still to be determined. But the reward fund was initiated because Benton Harbor has been hit hard recently by purse snatchings and home burglaries.

The \$500 was raised from individual contributions and did not come from the general fund of United Landlords.

An account will be opened at Farmers & Merchants National bank where donors may make deposits.

The reward money is intended to spur citizen involvement in providing information to police for arrest and conviction. Policemen are prohibited from accepting

rewards.

The landlords said the reward fund should be expanded beyond the Benton Harbor city limits and placed on a countywide basis. "If hoodlums are driven out of the city, they'll only go someplace else."

United Landlords is a biracial group formed this year for the purposes of getting the city to moderate its inspection policy, cracking down on dead beat tenants and vandals and checking further deterioration in the city's housing.

Landfill Blaze Doused

Benton township firemen worked for five hours early today to extinguish tree fires at the Berrien county sanitary landfill.

Fire Lt. William Klemm said firemen were summoned at 2:55 a.m. by Benton township police who spotted the tree fires at the landfill.

Firemen used 6,000 gallons of water before quenching the flames. About eight trees were burned and a sanitation crew brought a bulldozer to cover the burned area, Klemm said.

"We were afraid for a while that the fire would spread to the House of David swamp which would have kept us out there for months," Klemm said.

Cause of the fire is still undetermined.

BIRTHDAY NEARS

VATICAN CITY (AP)—Pope Paul VI apparently is in excellent health as he approaches his 75th birthday, Sept. 21.

Whirlpool Man Is Appointed To Committee

M.W. McGath of Whirlpool Corporation's St. Joseph division was one of 29 industry representatives from across the nation to be appointed to the marketing committee of the Mobile Homes Manufacturers association for the next two years, according to Donald W. Techentien of Concheco Homes Group, chairman of the committee.

BH Night School Courses Still Have Openings

Openings are still available in adult night school classes at Benton Harbor school, according to William Crow, adult education director. Classes start Tuesday and late registration will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next week, and Sept. 11-14 the following week, Crow said.

Thirty-six courses carrying credit toward a high school diploma are offered. Registration will be in room 225 at senior high starting at 7 o'clock.

There is no tuition charge and nonresidents of the Benton Harbor school district are invited to enroll. A \$5 deposit for each book is refundable.

4 Performances This Weekend

SJ Band Going Out Big

St. Joseph Municipal band will wind up its 1972 season on a loud, bouncy note Sunday and Monday.

The band, under the direction of John E. N. Howard, will summon some of its ace brass instrument performers to provide the sound and have contracted for the two

Frauensteins, an internationally famous balancing and juggling act, to give the performance Sunday a non-musical bounce.

Concerts will be presented in the John E. N. Howard bandshell at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. Sunday and Monday. The bandshell is located on Port

street near Lake boulevard in St. Joseph.

The Frauensteins will perform only on Sunday. Traditionally the band plays an all-musical program including several old favorites in the Aud Lang Syne performance on Labor day.

This is the 25th year Howard has directed the municipal band. He announced last week the band will be getting new uniforms next year.

Marches to be performed Sunday include the popular "American Patrol," "Col. Bogey" and the most famous march in the world, John Philip Sousa's "The Stars and Stripes Forever."

Four instruments of the brass family will be featured in Sunday's concert, Howard announced. Deloss Schertz, principal hornist, will play the third movement from Mozart's horn concerto No. 3 in E flat. Stan Louisenau on the trumpet, Gordon Wildman on trombone and Jerry Lackey on the tuba will team up with the band to play the very different "Concertino for Three Brass" by Floyd Werle.

"Elsa's Procession to the Cathedral" by Richard Wagner will conclude the Sunday performance, Howard said.

Monday's season closing for the 45-member band will include two demanding selections: "Academic Festival Overture" by Brahms and Tchaikovsky's "1812 Overture."

Two marches written for the

Sultan Abdul Medjid of Turkey will provide a different look at this familiar form of Music, Howard said.

A brass quintet composed of band members will also be featured in this hour-long concert. The quintet is made up of Louisenau and Craig Heitger, trumpets; Schertz, French

horn; Dave Purcell, trombone and Lackey, tuba.

Looking ahead, Howard said the next concert after this weekend will be June 24, 1973 and he invited anyone who has not heard the band this season to come to the bandshell Sunday or Monday for the season final performances.

Teachers Without Master Pacts In 10 Area Districts

With some southwestern Michigan schools already in session and the rest ready to join the parade starting Tuesday, 10 of the districts have not yet settled master contracts with teachers.

None of the districts are reportedly facing a strike, however.

Warren Culver, supervisor of the southwestern Michigan district for the state teachers education association, said no strikes are expected throughout the four-county district. He said none of the

differences appear to be severe between local teacher organizations and the boards of education. Several, however, have already called in the state mediation services to see if an agreement can be reached.

Association chapters represent all but one of the 10 districts involved and a check with a spokesman for that district agreed that no work stoppage appeared likely. The district in question is represented by a chapter of the American Federation of Teachers.

Culver said four of the unsettled situations are in Berrien county while three are in Van Buren and three in Cass county.

In Berrien, the districts are Niles, Lakeshore and Coloma, all high school districts, and Lake Michigan college, a two-year institution supported by tax monies.

In Van Buren, negotiations continue in the Lawton, Lawrence and Mattawan high school districts. The Covert district, also in Van Buren, has settled most of its questions in the new contract, including salary figures, but is reportedly still pondering about four other points.

In Cass county, Cassopolis and Dowagiac high school districts are still without pacts with their teachers while Southwestern Michigan college, a two-year tax supported institution, is also without a settlement.



GRADUATES: Richard Lange, son of Mrs. Alma Lange, Lemon Creek road, Berrien Springs, has received his master's degree in education from Andrews university in Berrien Springs. Lange is a teacher in the Bridgman high school.

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Lake Temperature

The temperature of Lake Michigan at the shoreline today is 59 degrees.



BALANCING AND JUGGLING: The Two Frauensteins, who have performed feats of balancing and juggling from the Ed Sullivan show in New York to the state circus in Moscow and the Mikado in Japan, will perform at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. Sunday with the St. Joseph Municipal band. The concerts Sunday and Monday will close out the 1972 municipal band season.

Coloma To Vote On Four Mills Tuesday

COLOMA — Coloma school district voters will go to the polls Tuesday to vote on a four-mill school property tax millage proposal after defeating two six-mill proposals earlier this summer.

Under the proposed package, three mills are to renew a three-mill levy which expired with the last tax collections while the fourth mill would be an additional levy. The funds would be used to maintain school operations at present levels and open two new school buildings.

The package would produce \$182,000 yearly and run for

three years. The difference between the four-mill yield and the six-mill yield, or \$91,000, would be made up from a \$187,000 school reserve fund. If approved, the tax rate for the year would be 29.876 mills, just four-tenths of mill higher than in 1971.

The reserve fund has been built up from income over the last 10 years and is used occasionally, mostly between September and January, when neither state nor local property taxes are coming in to keep the schools in operation

without borrowing money and paying interest rates.

Tuesday's third attempt at gaining voter approval of the tax levy came after the state education department rejected a proposed school district plan to operate the system on half-day sessions this year.

If the proposed tax package is approved by voters, bus drivers will be hired and buses would begin operation Sept. 12. Part of the three-mill renewal levy would provide monies for the school bus transportation program.

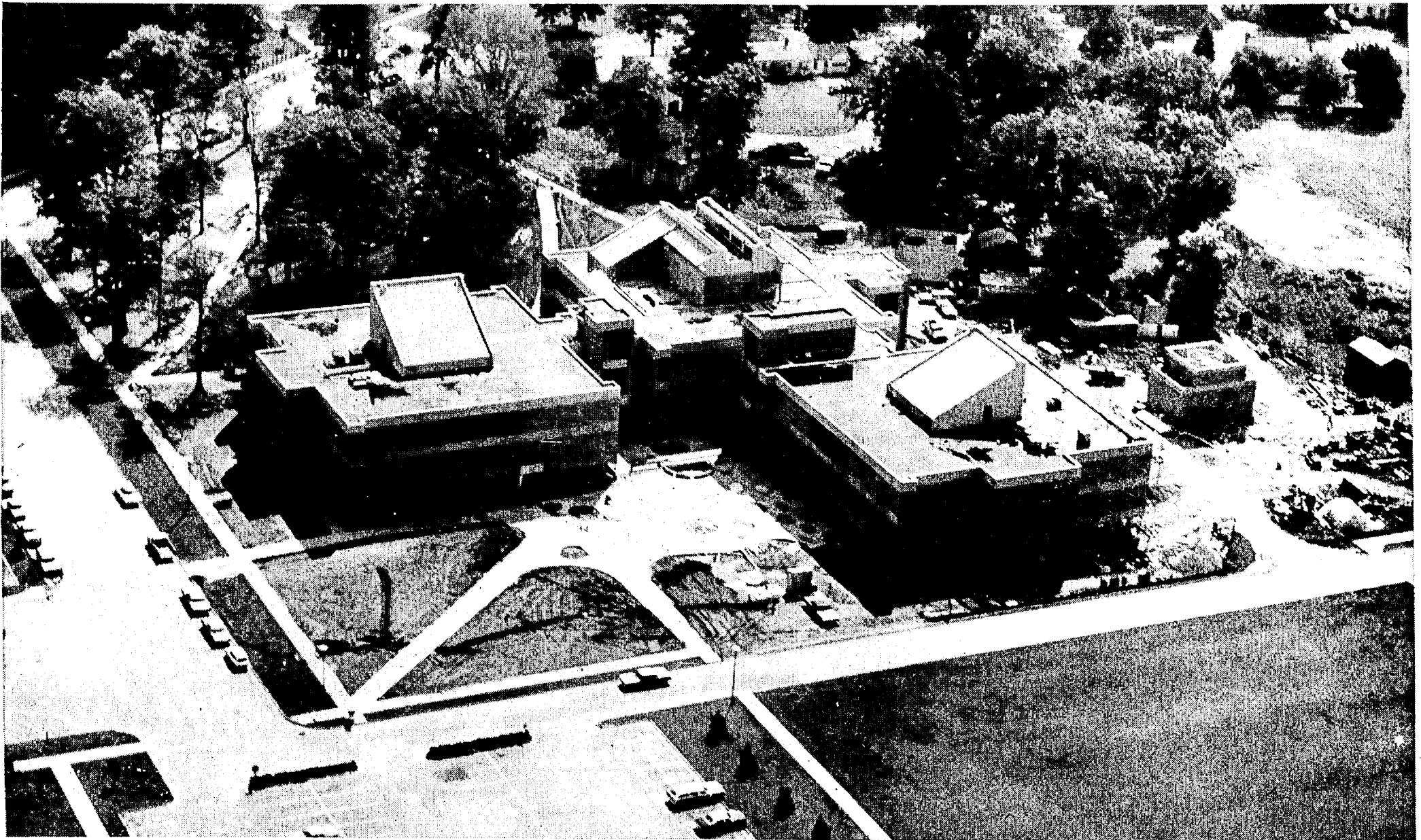
Needed teacher replacements will be hired regardless of

the vote outcome, and a regular school day is now underway.

If the millage proposal is defeated, cuts in the schools operating budget will have to be made in addition to the ban on busing.

Tuesday's property tax vote marks the final time this year that school district residents will vote on operating millage for the 1972-73 school year.

Balloting on the tax levy will take place at the Coloma township hall from 7 a.m. until 8 p.m. only.



SCIENCE CENTER: Workmen are putting finishing touches to chemistry and biology buildings, left and center, at the Andrews university science complex, Berrien Springs. Classes are set to begin in these

buildings on Oct. 1 while the engineering-physics-mathematics building at right is not expected to be finished until sometime this winter. Included in the complex are amphitheatres, laboratories, classrooms,

a museum, instructors' offices, library facilities, even a glass blowing room. On the roofs are structures housing air-conditioning equipment; the roof of the biology

building also has a solarium, greenhouse and animal house. The \$3 million complex is located across from the university library. (Aerial photo by Adolph Hann)

Buchanan Senior Citizen Center Ready For Tenants

BUCHANAN — Buchanan's senior citizens center, Metea court, is expected to be ready for the first occupants to move in sometime next week, according to Mrs. Ruth Irvine, newly appointed housing manager.

Work on the project was begun in August, 1971, under a \$1,258,000, loan from the state housing development

authority. It was developed by the Buchanan Area Non-Profit Housing corporation.

The corporation, however, has transferred the project to the Donlon-Lofgren architectural firm of Mishawaka on recommendation of the housing authority.

The authority said it wanted to convert the non-profit project into what it described

as limited dividend project. According to the authority, the change would generate funds to keep the projects up.

Under the plan, a private, profit-making corporation takes over financial responsibility for the operation and, once the mortgage is paid off, acquires title to the property. The firm is required to put up a certain amount of cash in escrow, however, for funding continuity.

Mrs. Irvine said the Donlon-Lofgren bid was accepted by the authority. The firm designed the Metea court project, and also owns a similar project in Niles.

Mrs. Irvine said the Buchanan corporation would serve as an advisory board to the architectural firm for operation of the court as part of the transfer.

According to the official the reason for the change was to provide the project with funds to complete special areas and maintain the buildings, none of which would be available from the state.

Many projects of non-profit corporations across the nation are being placed under this

program, Mrs. Irvine said.

Metea Court, located on 8.5 acres frontage on Liberty avenue and Rynearson street, contains 15 buildings, nine with four units, two with eight units and four with six units. Those with the six and eight units are two-story structures and in nine buildings the units are all on the ground floor. The six buildings at the back of the court, which are on a hill have ground level entrances to the top floor.

There are 52 one-bedroom units and 24 two-bedroom units. The utilities, except telephones, are all included in the rent. There is a large community room for social gatherings, and for those interested there will be instruction in arts and crafts.

Rentals are \$115 for one-bedroom units and \$139 for two-bedroom units, except for persons who qualify for rent supplement, when the rent will be based upon individual incomes.

Most of the units are complete except for some minor details, and the others are expected to be completed in about one month.

Keeler Residents Will Ballot On Tax Levy For Road Improvement

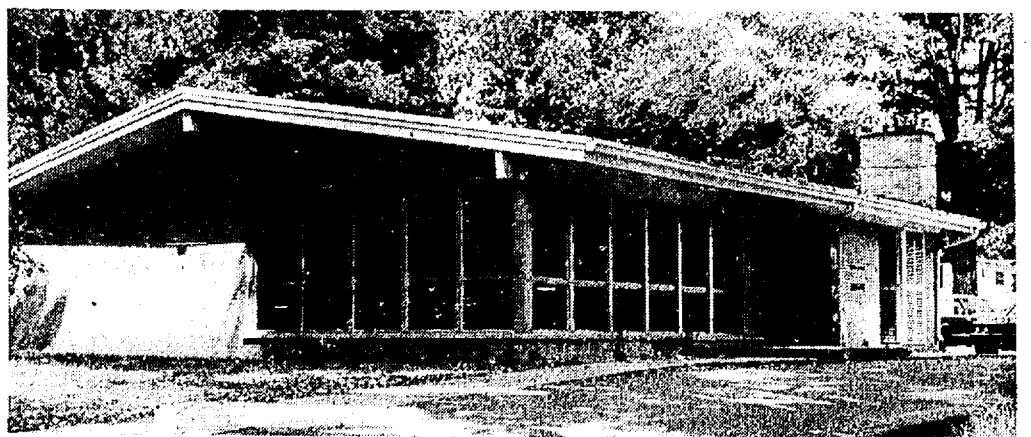
KEELER — Keeler township voters will act on a proposed one-mill property tax levy for maintenance and improvement of the township's secondary roads in a special election Tuesday, Sept. 5.

If approved, the tax would extend five years and would produce about \$12,000 annually, according to township Treasurer John Scherer. The township now levies one

mill.

In addition to the \$12,000 that would be raised locally, Scherer said the proposed tax would be matched by about \$8,000 in state funds.

Polls will be open in Keeler township hall from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday.



NEW MENTAL HEALTH CENTER: Cass county's new Community Mental Health center is located in this clinic housing the offices of Dr. A. K. Warren, 108 School street, Cassopolis. The center was opened in July, under Paul VanderSchie, 29, of Kalamazoo, who is mental health coordinator. Out-patient consultation and

educational services are provided at the center. Other services for Cass county residents are contracted through Oak Lawn center in Elkhart, Ind., and Riverwood mental health center in St. Joseph. (Staff photo)

IN KENTUCKY

Three Niles Men Face Pot Charges

OAK GROVE, Ky. (AP) — Three Michigan men were arrested in Christian County Friday and accused of processing and possession of 25 to 30 pounds of marijuana with an estimated street value of \$30,000.

Sheriff G.H. Norfleet said his office confiscated the drug after the men were accosted in a field on a vacant farm about two miles from Oak Grove in the Ft. Campbell area. He said the men had laid the plants out on the ground to dry.

Under arrest were Joseph W. Huss, 20; William T. McGraw, 19, and Charles J. Myers, 18, all of Niles, Mich.

The sheriff said his office was looking for two other men who are reportedly growing marijuana in the area.

Readers Take Turn Stating Their Views

(Continued from page 2)

today. Our family could walk anywhere in the city they wanted to, day or night without fear of being jugged or raped and a man could walk down the street without fear of being knocked in the head and robbed.

Yes, I guess Sylvester Windy Langley was a gambler, but you know something? I have to believe there are a lot more things going on in our community that are much worse than Windy's gambling.

L. Leon Hardy
Benton Harbor
Police Department

COLOMA RESIDENTS FAVOR SCHOOL TAX

Editor,
We, as registered voters and parents of students of the Coloma School System, feel the various criticisms and personal attacks printed in this column in recent weeks must be answered.

A Mr. Chapin fully explained the reasons behind most of the newer building innovations last week. This is not "propaganda" as implied by one critic. Any Coloma district resident is welcome to examine figures, plans, etc and learn the FACTS for himself.

Other writers say "why can't someone just volunteer?" and "we need a superintendent?" and "we need a superintendent with a wife active in community affairs." Where are THESE people when we have literally BEGGED for help in planning and working on everything from building programs to PTA to fluoride programs? It seems odd that these critics sit back and let the same few people do the work continually, then are so free with their criticism.

A writer states that the board is controlled by the superintendent. This is ridiculous! There are seven intelligent adults on our board who work hundreds of hours a year — for which they receive \$100 annually. Would you expend all this time and energy, and then allow yourself to be controlled?

The undersigned knew Mr. Barrett to be an astute businessman and completely dedicated to providing our children with the best education possible. As far as his marital status is concerned (which is really no one else's business), if he were involved with a family, we actually would receive LESS of his time and attention.

It may also interest your readers to know that several of the writers who have stated that they will vote no and urge others to do the same are not even REGISTERED in school voter registration records. This should be kept in mind when you consider their complaints.

One last point — if we fail to support and manage our own school district — where will the control come from? Once the state is forced (?) to finance our district, local control will be the thing of the past. Is that what we want?

We have been active, involved citizens in our community and school affairs for many years. We believe we know the true FACTS. We urge every voter to learn the FACTS for themselves. If you do, we are confident you will vote YES next Tuesday.

Ira and Luanne Schwyn
Oliver and Alice Richards
John and Barbara Oakley
Ernest and Louise Wotowis
George and Jewel Tutton
Norval and Patricia Russell

COLOMA VOTER SUPPORTS MILLAGE

Editor,
People who criticize should be registered to vote.

I don't mind being brainwashed by school officials, who have been insinuating, as long as the figures are in writing and the figures are right in all cases they have at this time. If they had not been right I would have expressed myself at the polls with my vote in the school board election. They hire the superintendent and if I don't like his management I will take my personal problem to the school board members and I would not be part of a concerted effort to take my dislike out of the whole school and community nor be any part of misleading anyone with false statements, just for my own self satisfaction.

As for carpets, why are so many businesses going to indoor, outdoor carpeting, its not just for looks, it is cheaper. We are not dealing with a personal whim when we vote on this millage in our community on

September 5, we are deciding if our school is going to continue to grow and be a community pride or if we fail in the negative pit that a lot of schools have and loose that feeling of having a good school and doing the best that we can afford for our children and community.

If the vote is YES, to give you some idea of the tax raise per year, we are now paying three mills of the four mill total, this means a raise of one mill per year. One mill is based on the home valuation at the rate of \$1.00 for each \$1,000, for example, a \$5,000 home valuation would cost an increase of \$5.00 per year.

I will vote for this millage; September 5, and do have complete confidence in present management. Before this management was hired, our schools had to borrow money to start the school year, because our reserve fund was exhausted and this cost extra money in interest for money borrowed, thanks to the management we have now this is no longer the case.

Please vote YES.

COLOMA TRAFFIC GETS FOULED UP

Editor,
I am writing this letter to publicly register my complaint at the traffic mess this noon in Coloma. The schools all let out today at noon after an abbreviated first day of classes. The traffic situation was complete and utter chaos. There was no traffic control whatsoever, no policeman just a crossing guard on Red Arrow Highway.

It is my thinking and hopefully the thinking of many others, this situation came about because of the millage vote next Tuesday, September 5. The school officials and the board have created this sticky mess in order to "push" voters into approving the increased 4 mills.

I know this same situation will appear tomorrow but I only hope the voters of the Coloma School District will view all the facts and not be swayed by the traffic situation as it was today.

Mrs. J. Butzbach
Route 2, Box 374
Benton Harbor

SO MUCH TO BE THANKFUL FOR

Editor,
Heartfelt thanks. Sometimes we feel the words "thank you" isn't enough. We all, in Benton Harbor, have so much to be thankful for.

Today I am most thankful for friends, friends that have shown me such expressions of love at the loss of a loved one. We never know how much people care until we are in need.

We also are made to remember this is God's World, and He still has His people that love.

I am so grateful to God that our city has a lot of people that care for his fellowman. May I say, that if we, as a city, can love a little more, it can and will be a beautiful place to live.

Mrs. Frank Langley
1294 Columbus
Benton Harbor.

URGES HELP FOR THE POW'S

Editor,
I am deeply concerned over the plight of our men who are prisoners of war.

Recently I purchased a POW bracelet engraved on it was the name of Lt. Col. John Stavast, 9-17-47.

As I looked at the bracelet I pictured a man sitting in a crude cell wondering if his family was well, if they were worried about him.

This man needs your help. So I urge you to buy a POW bracelet and follow the advice they give you to help the POW. Remember, it could happen to a friend, a relative, maybe even you.

So please help for the safe return of our men if not for yourself, for Lt. Col. John Stavast and others like him.

Dan O'Connell
1935 W. Hinchman
Baroda

EVER HEARD OF PRAIRIE PIKE?

Editor,
Ah! Now I know why fishermen have bad days when they don't catch anything, the

critters just get up and walk away.

According to a postcard sent to yours truly from up north, this Bear Museum has the only stuffed Prairie Pike in existence. That's the fish that walked, and it had fur too.

Even by tracking the critter, the fishermen still could have a bad day, since the feet of the Prairie Pike faced in both directions. THUS, you couldn't tell by the tracks whether it was going or coming.

Now, if you think this is a fish story, go talk to Mr. and Mrs. Art Egler of rural Bangor as they sent me the card while they were on vacation up there.

For the record, this furry pike inhabited the Au Sable river.

Dwayne Selvidge
South Haven

LEGAL NOTICES

FILE NO. 25909
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estate of AMY SHINDELDECKER, Deceased.
IT IS ORDERED, that on November 21, 1972 at 9:15 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Guy Shindeldecker, administrator, 193 Bradford, Benton Harbor, Michigan prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule.
(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE
Judge of Probate

DATED: August 23, 1972
Attorney: Thomas W. McCoy
Attorney for Estate
ADDRESS: 409 Main Street
St. Joseph, Michigan
Sept. 2, 9, 16, 1972

LEGAL NOTICE

The undersigned will sell at public sale for cash to the highest bidder a 1970 Ford Torino Two Door, G.T., Serial Number OH35F105854 on September 5, 1972 at 3:00 P.M. at 1012 South Eleventh Street, Niles, Michigan 48120, where vehicle is stored and may be inspected. We reserve the right to bid.

First National Bank of Southwestern Michigan
Niles, Michigan
Sept. 1, 2, 1972 N.P. & H.P. Adv.

SYNOPSIS OF THE MINUTES

Regular St. Joseph Township Board Meeting -- August 21, 1972

1. Approved sewer agreement between Benton Township and St. Joseph Township allowing St. Joseph Township residents abutting the Benton Township sewer line running along Colfax Avenue to utilize said line for purposes of discharging untreated wastes.
 2. Engaged the firm of Wayne C. Hatfield and Associates as the architect for the preliminary plans of the proposed new Township Hall.
 3. Tabled a request by Mr. Brandt to rezone property off Cleveland Avenue from R-2 to R-3.
 4. Approved Mr. Shearer's request for a split of lots 14, 15 and 16 of Schulz and Pixley's Royaltown Heights Subdivision.
 5. Approved distribution of \$7,311.65 in delinquent taxes.
 6. Approved payment of bills totaling \$6,677.52.
- Next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on September 5, 1972.

Bill Payne Smith
St. Joseph Township Clerk
Sept. 2, 1972 N.P. & H.P. Adv.

MEETING OF THE CITY COMMISSION HELD AT THE COMMISSION CHAMBERS AT THE CITY HALL, ST. JOSEPH, MICHIGAN AT 7:30 O'CLOCK P.M. AUGUST 21, 1972.

PRESENT: MAYOR SMITH, COMMISSIONERS GAST, SELENT, L. L. HILL, CITY MANAGER, A. G. PRESTON, JR., CITY ATTORNEY, CHARLES J. RHODES, DIRECTOR OF FINANCE.

ABSENT: COMMISSIONERS HANLEY AND TOBIAS. The minutes of the meeting held August 14, 1972 were approved as presented.

Reports of the vouchers to be allowed August 21, 1972 were submitted as follows:

Ins. & Pension Clerk	43,918.00
Dir. of Finance	20.27
Elections	897.40
Manager	3,794.83
Assessor	40.67
Engineering	3.92
Purchasing Dept.	5.18
Pub. Hsg. Com.	1.80
Fire Dept.	375.24
Police Dept.	410.62
Traffic	27.72
Cemetery	15.14
	29.56

Municipal Bldgs.	232.61
Sewers	616.00
Streets	399.77
Water	5.49
Water Fil. Plt.	411.30
Insp. Dept.	17,692.07
Parks	132.34
Brown Prop. at 619 Lake Blvd.	89.65
Wells Field	87.90
Dickinson Park	
Develop.	1,834.62
Forestry	202.25
Band	20.18
Gen. Vo. Nos. 17490 - 17520 incl.	76,264.53

Mr. Selent, seconded by Mr. Gast, moved approval of the foregoing report and that the Director of Finance be authorized to issue vouchers in payment of the several amounts.

Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Gast, Selent and Smith. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Hanley and Tobias. Motion declared carried.

The City Clerk reported that the monthly report for July, including the Financial, Police, Fire, Sanitary Inspection, Public Works and Water Filtration Plant have been presented to the Commission. Mr. Gast, seconded by Mr. Selent moved approval of the foregoing reports as presented.

Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Gast, Selent and Smith. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Hanley and Tobias. Motion declared carried.

The City Manager presented a proposal on a Model MR-7 moving Radar for the Police Department of \$1,885.00.

Mr. Gast, seconded by Mr. Smith moved to accept the

proposal and authorized its purchase.

Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioner Gast, Selent and Smith. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Hanley and Tobias. Motion declared carried.

RESOLUTION WHEREAS THE City of St. Joseph developed certain lands south of Hilltop Road, North of Hawthorne Avenue, between Red Arrow Highway on the West and Cleveland Avenue on the East, commonly referred to as the Industrial Park, and WHEREAS these lands have been divided into parcels which have been and are being offered to Industrial purposes, and

WHEREAS it is advisable that the Industrial Park be placed into an Assessor's Plat, and

WHEREAS Wightman and Associates, Inc. Civil Engineers have been offered to prepare an Assessor's Plat for the lands in the City's Industrial Park on a time and material basis at our standard rates with a guaranteed maximum cost to the City of St. Joseph of \$3,200.00, and WHEREAS THIS OFFER acceptable to the City Commission of St. Joseph

THEREFORE RESOLVED that the City of St. Joseph hereby accepts the proposal of Wightman and Associates, Inc. to survey and plat the above lands in the City's Industrial Park and prepare an Assessor's Plat.

Mr. Selent, seconded by Mr. Gast, moved approval of the foregoing resolution. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas:

Commissioners Gast, Selent and Smith. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Hanley and Tobias. Motion declared carried and resolution adopted.

RESOLUTION APPROVING PROPOSED SEWER AGREEMENT BETWEEN BENTON TOWNSHIP AND ST. JOSEPH TOWNSHIP.

WHEREAS St. Joseph Township is contemplating installing a collector-sewer system for all of the residences and commercial and industrial properties in St. Joseph Township, and

WHEREAS Benton Township has existing sewer lines lying adjacent to the municipal limits of St. Joseph Township which are capable of handling sewer collection for the portion of the residents of St. Joseph Township adjacent to said lines, and

WHEREAS the Township of St. Joseph has submitted a proposed agreement with Benton Township providing for the payment by St. Joseph Township to Benton Township of \$24,000.00 in cash and for the payment of a quarterly connection charge \$2.75 per connection per month for single family dwellings, and

WHEREAS the City Commission is fully advised in the premises, and WHEREAS approved of the proposal agreement by the City of St. Joseph is required by the Benton Harbor — St. Joseph Joint Sewage Disposal Contract dated January 30, 1951

THEREFORE RESOLVED that the City Commission hereby approves the proposed St. Joseph Township and

Benton Township sewer agreement described above. RESOLVED FURTHER that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to sign said Sewer Agreement on behalf of the City of St. Joseph.

Mr. Gast, seconded by Mr. Selent moved approval of the foregoing resolution. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Gast, Selent and Smith. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Hanley and Tobias. Motion declared carried and resolution adopted.

Mr. Jack DeMaria appeared before the City Commission and presented a petition signed by residents in the vicinity of Papina's Restaurant located at 2800 Cleveland Avenue, St. Joseph, Michigan, requesting the City Commission to allow Jack DeMaria to have a beer and wine license in conjunction with his restaurant facilities.

The petition was delivered to the City Clerk for filing and no action was taken at this time.

RESOLUTION SUBMITTING QUESTION TO ELECTORS

WHEREAS an initiative petition was filed in the office of the City Clerk August 14, 1972, and

WHEREAS on August 15, 1972, the City Clerk certified that said petition was signed by more than fifteen percent (15 percent) of the highest number of votes cast for Commissioner at the last municipal election, and

WHEREAS the City Commission does not wish to adopt the ordinance proposed in the initiative petition.

THEREFORE RESOLVED that the City Commission of the City of St. Joseph hereby determines that the proposed ordinance shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the City of St. Joseph, Michigan, for adoption or rejection in the next general election to be held November 7, 1972.

RESOLVED FURTHER that the question to be submitted to the qualified electors shall be stated as follows:

Shall the zoning ordinance and map of the City of St. Joseph, Michigan, be amended to change the following lots: U.S.-81-1; U.S.-81-2; U.S.-81-3; and U.S.-81-4, under option to Ben Teitel, from "C-1" Multiple Dwelling District to "R-1" Light Industrial District.

RESOLVED FURTHER that the City Clerk is authorized and directed to do all things necessary to place said question on the November 7, 1972, ballot.

Mr. Gast, seconded by Mr. Selent moved approval of the foregoing resolution. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Gast, Selent and Smith. Nays: None. Absent: Commissioners Hanley and Tobias. Motion declared carried and resolution adopted.

There being no further business to come before this Commission, Mr. Gast moved to adjourn until Monday, August 28, 1972 at 7:30 P.M.

Franklin H. Smith
Mayor

Charles J. Rhodes
City Clerk
Sept. 2, 1972

H.P. Adv.

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LEGAL NOTICES

OFFICIAL NOTICE

OF SALE

\$950,000.00

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF

THE CITY OF ST. JOSEPH

BERRIEN COUNTY

STATE OF MICHIGAN

TAX ANTICIPATION NOTES

Sealed bids for the purchase

of tax anticipation notes of the

School District of the City of St.

Joseph, Berrien County,

Michigan, of the par value of

Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand

Dollars (\$950,000), will be

received by the undersigned at the

Milton Junior High Library,

1520 Niles Avenue, St. Joseph,

Michigan, until 8:00 o'clock,

p.m., Eastern Standard Time,

on the 11th day of September,

1972, at which time and place

said bids will be publicly

opened and read.

The notes will be dated

September 1, 1972, will mature

April 1, 1973, and will bear

interest at a rate or rates not

exceeding six per cent (6 per

cent) per annum. Both principal

and interest will be

payable at a bank or trust

company located in the State of

Michigan to be designated by the

original purchaser of the

notes, which paying agent

qualifies as such under the

statutes of the State of

Michigan or of the Federal

Government, subject to the

approval of the School District.

Denominations of notes to be at

the option of the purchaser.

Accrued interest to date of

delivery of such notes must be

paid by the purchaser at the

time of delivery.

The notes shall not be subject

to redemption prior to

maturity.

For the purpose of awarding

the notes the interest cost of

each bid will be computed by

determining, at the rate or

rates specified therein, the

total dollar value of all interest

on the notes from September

11, 1972, to their maturity and

deducting therefrom any

premium. The notes will be

awarded to the bidder whose

bid on the above computation

produces the lowest interest

cost to the School District. No

proposal for the purchase of

less than all of the notes or at a

price less than their par value

will be considered.

The loan is in anticipation of

the operating portion of the

School Tax for the fiscal year

commencing July 1, 1972,

which taxes are due and

payable December 1, 1972,

subject only to a prior ap-

propriation of a sufficient

amount of such taxes

necessary for the payment of

principal and interest due on an

outstanding tax anticipation

note in the principal amount of

\$147,000.00 dated June 1, 1972

and payable April 1, 1973.

A certified or cashier's check

in the amount of 2 per cent of

the par value of the notes,

drawn upon an incorporated

bank or trust company and

payable to the order of the

Treasurer of the school district,

must accompany each bid as a

guarantee of good faith on the

part of the bidder to be forfeited

as liquidated damages if such

bidder fails to take up and pay

for the notes. No interest shall

be allowed on the good faith

checks and checks of un-

successful bidders will be

promptly returned to each

bidder's representative or by

registered mail.

Bids shall be conditioned

upon the unqualified opinion of

Miller, Canfield, Paddock and

Stone, Attorneys, 2500 Detroit

Bank and Trust Building,

Detroit, Michigan, which

opinion will be furnished

without expense to the

purchaser prior to the delivery

thereof, approving the legality

of the notes. The School District

shall furnish notes ready for

execution at its expense. Notes

will be delivered without ex-

pense to the purchaser at a

place to be designated by the

purchaser.

The right is reserved to

reject any and all bids.

Envelopes containing the

bids should be plainly marked

"Proposal for Notes."

Orlinda B. Griswold

Secretary,

Board of Education

APPROVED Aug. 29, 1972

STATE OF MICHIGAN

MUNICIPAL FINANCE

COMMISSION

Sept. 2, 1972 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25922

STATE OF MICHIGAN

PROBATE COURT FOR THE

COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of CHRISTINE M. PETERSEN,

Deceased

IT IS ORDERED, that on November 15,

1972 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Court-

room, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,

a hearing be held at which all creditors of

said deceased are required to prove their

claims. Creditors must file sworn claims

with the court and serve a copy on A. G.

Preston, Jr., executor, 600 Main Street,

St. Joseph, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made

as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE

Judge of Probate

DATED: August 22, 1972

Attorney: A. G. Preston, Jr.

Attorney for Estate

ADDRESS: 600 Main Street

St. Joseph, Michigan

Aug. 26, Sept. 2, 1972 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25997

STATE OF MICHIGAN

PROBATE COURT FOR THE

COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of HILDA E. JOHNSON, Deceased

IT IS ORDERED, that on November 14,

1972 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Court-

room, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,

a hearing be held at which all creditors of

said deceased are required to prove their

claims. Creditors must file sworn claims

with the court and serve a copy on Julius H.

Reinking, executor, 821 State Street, St.

Joseph, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made

as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE

Judge of Probate

DATED: August 18, 1972

Attorney: A. G. Preston, Jr.

Attorney for Estate

ADDRESS: 600 Main Street

St. Joseph, Michigan

Aug. 26, Sept. 2, 1972 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25815

STATE OF MICHIGAN

PROBATE COURT FOR THE

COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of FAY B. EGGER, Deceased

IT IS ORDERED, that on November 8,

1972 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Court-

room, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,

a hearing be held at which all creditors of

said deceased are required to prove their

claims. Creditors must file sworn claims

with the court and serve a copy on Thomas M.

Loring, executor, 6530 Commerce

Road, Orchard Lake, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made

as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE

Judge of Probate

DATED: August 15, 1972

Attorney: Myron H. Wolcott

Attorney for Estate

ADDRESS: Peoples State Bank Building

St. Joseph, Michigan

Aug. 26, Sept. 2, 1972 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25859

STATE OF MICHIGAN

PROBATE COURT FOR THE

COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of JOSEPH RALPH LIEBER, Deceased

IT IS ORDERED, that on November 8,

1972 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Court-

room, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,

a hearing be held at which all creditors of

said deceased are required to prove their

claims. Creditors must file sworn claims

with the court and serve a copy on Karl

Lindberg, executor, 2803 Somerlynn, Benton Harbor, Michigan,

prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made

as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE

Judge of Probate

DATED: August 15, 1972

Attorney: Myron H. Wolcott

Attorney for Estate

ADDRESS: Peoples State Bank Building

St. Joseph, Michigan

Aug. 26, Sept. 2, 1972 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25909

STATE OF MICHIGAN

PROBATE COURT FOR THE

COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of AMY SHINDELDECKER, Deceased

IT IS ORDERED, that on November 21,

1972 at 9:15 A.M. in the Probate Court-

room, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,

a hearing be held on the Petition of Guy

Shindeldecker for license to sell real

estate of said deceased. Persons in-

terested in said estate are directed to

appear at said hearing to show cause why

such license should not be granted.

Publication and service shall be made

as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE

Judge of Probate

DATED: August 24, 1972

Attorney: Thomas W. McCoy

Attorney for Estate

ADDRESS: 409 Main Street

St. Joseph, Michigan

Sept. 2, 9, 16, 1972 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25446

STATE OF MICHIGAN

PROBATE COURT FOR THE

COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of BESSIE B. YOUNG, Deceased

IT IS ORDERED, that on October 17,

1972 at 10:30 A.M. in the Probate Court-

room, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,

a hearing be held on the Petition of Jack

Chadwick, executor, for allowance of his

final account, and for assignment of

residue. Publication and service shall be made

as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE

Judge of Probate

DATED: August 22, 1972

Attorney: Robert S. Yampolsky

Attorney for Estate

ADDRESS: 201 Wayne Street

St. Joseph, Michigan

Sept. 2, 9, 16, 1972 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25701

STATE OF MICHIGAN

PROBATE COURT FOR THE

COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of ARTHUR DUBERT, Mentally Incompetent

IT IS ORDERED, that on October 17,

1972 at 10:30 A.M. in the Probate Court-

room, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,

a hearing be held on the Petition of Patrick

J. Kinney, guardian for allowance of his

final account, all accounts previously filed

and assignment of residue. Publication and service shall be made

as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE

Judge of Probate

DATED: August 18, 1972

Attorney: Patrick J. Kinney

Attorney for Guardian

ADDRESS: Savings & Loan Building

St. Joseph, Michigan

Sept. 2, 9, 16, 1972 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25864

STATE OF MICHIGAN

PROBATE COURT FOR THE

COUNTY OF BERRIEN

Estate of LELA M. GALLIMORE, Deceased

IT IS ORDERED, that on November 8,

1972 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Court-

room, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,

a hearing be held at which all creditors of

said deceased are required to prove their

claims. Creditors must file sworn claims

with the court and serve a copy on Marilyn

Seabury, executrix, 814 N. 3rd St., Box 642,

Coloma, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made

as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE

Judge of Probate

DATED: August 15, 1972

Attorney: Myron H. Wolcott

Attorney for Estate

ADDRESS: Peoples State Bank Building

St. Joseph, Michigan

Aug. 26, Sept. 2, 1972 H.P. Adv.

File No. 25864

STATE OF MICHIGAN